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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR PATENT

OF: Gerhard RUECKERT

| ART UNIT: 3635

SERIAL NO.: 10/069,705

| EX.: Y. M. Horton

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FOR: Deployable Structure With Modular  
Configuration, Consisting of at  
Least One Collapsible ModuleCOMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. BOX 1450  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

March 3, 2004

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ARE ENCLOSED.

AN ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE IS REQUIRED, AS SHOWN BELOW.

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